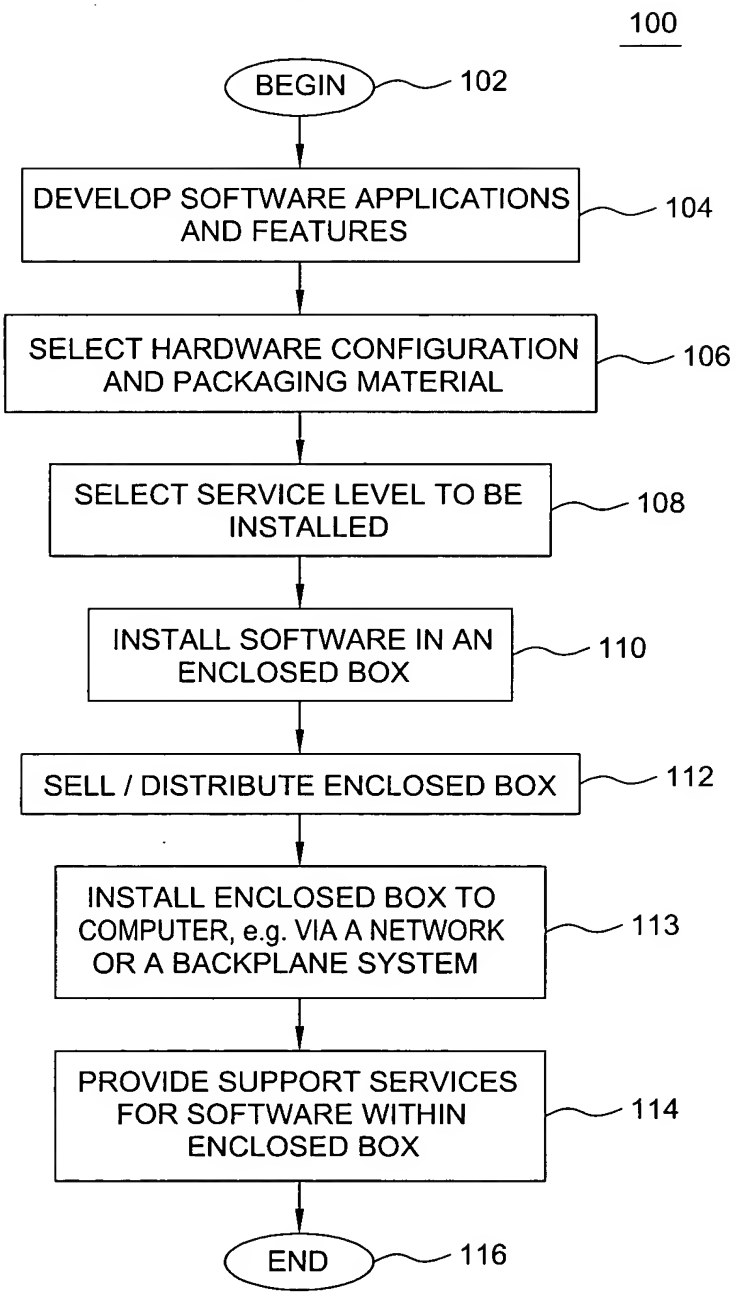
100
BEGIN
102
DEVELOP SOFTWARE APPLICATIONS AND FEATURES
104
SELECT HARDWARE CONFIGURATION AND PACKAGING MATERIAL
106
SELECT SERVICE LEVEL TO BE INSTALLED
108
INSTALL SOFTWARE IN AN ENCLOSED BOX
110
SELL / DISTRIBUTE ENCLOSED BOX
112
INSTALL ENCLOSED BOX TO COMPUTER, e.g. VIA A NETWORK OR A BACKPLANE SYSTEM
113
PROVIDE SUPPORT SERVICES FOR SOFTWARE WITHIN ENCLOSED BOX
114
END
116

FIG. 1

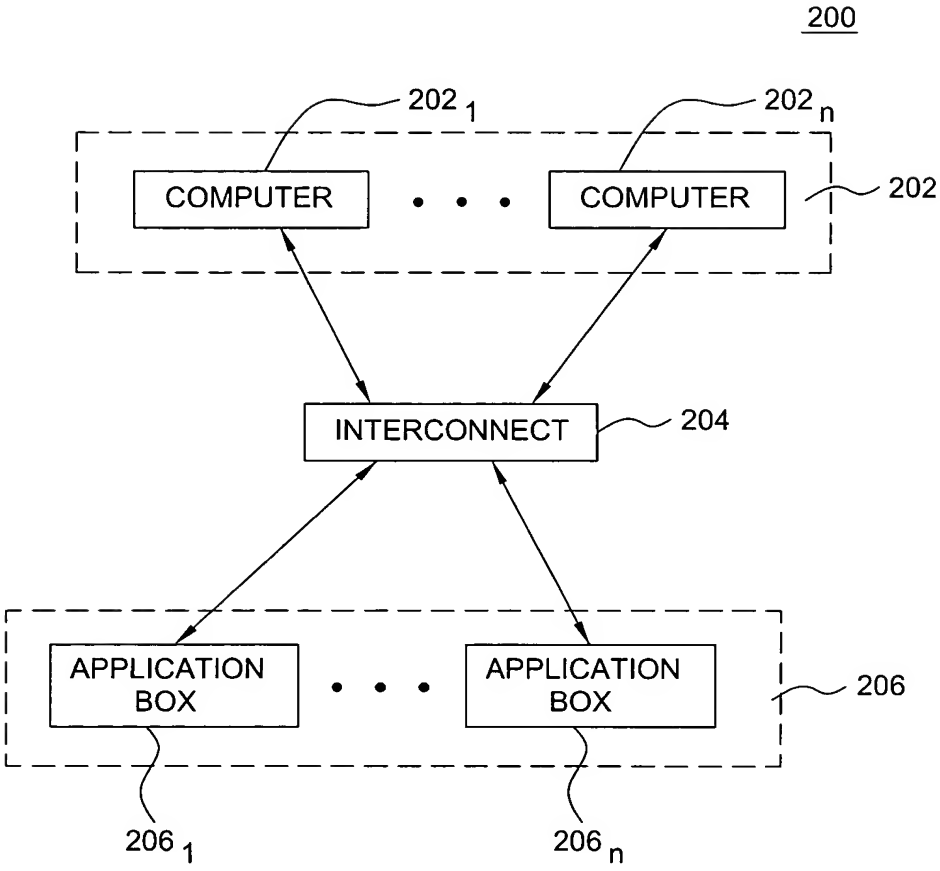
200
202 1
202 n
COMPUTER
COMPUTER
202
INTERCONNECT
204
APPLICATION BOX
APPLICATION BOX
206
206 1
206 n

FIG. 2

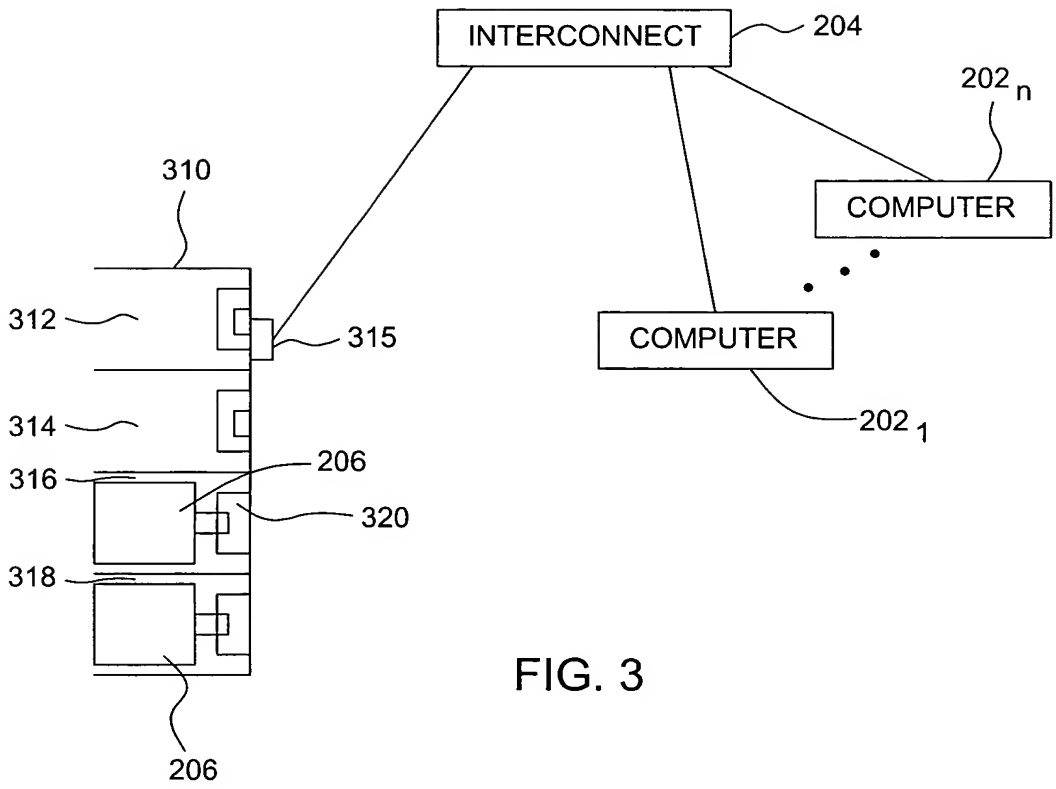
INTERCONNECT
204
202 n
COMPUTER
COMPUTER
202 1
310
312
315
314
316
206
320
318
206

FIG. 3

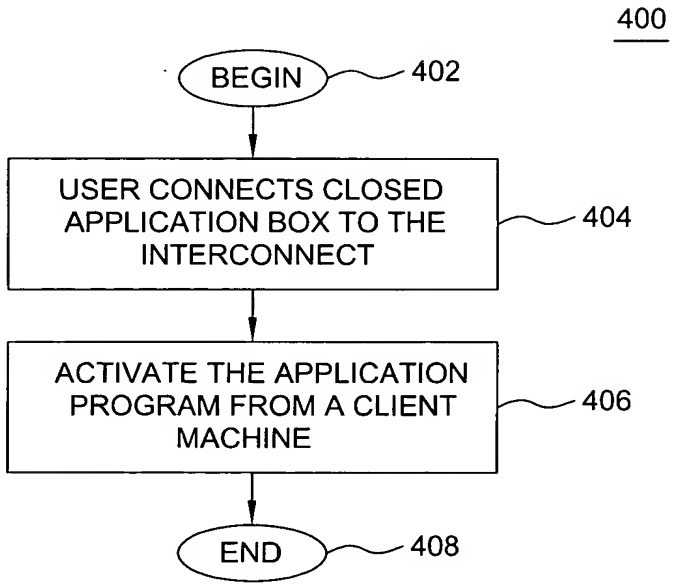
400
BEGIN
402
USER CONNECTS CLOSED APPLICATION BOX TO THE INTERCONNECT
404
ACTIVATE THE APPLICATION PROGRAM FROM A CLIENT MACHINE
406
END
408

FIG. 4

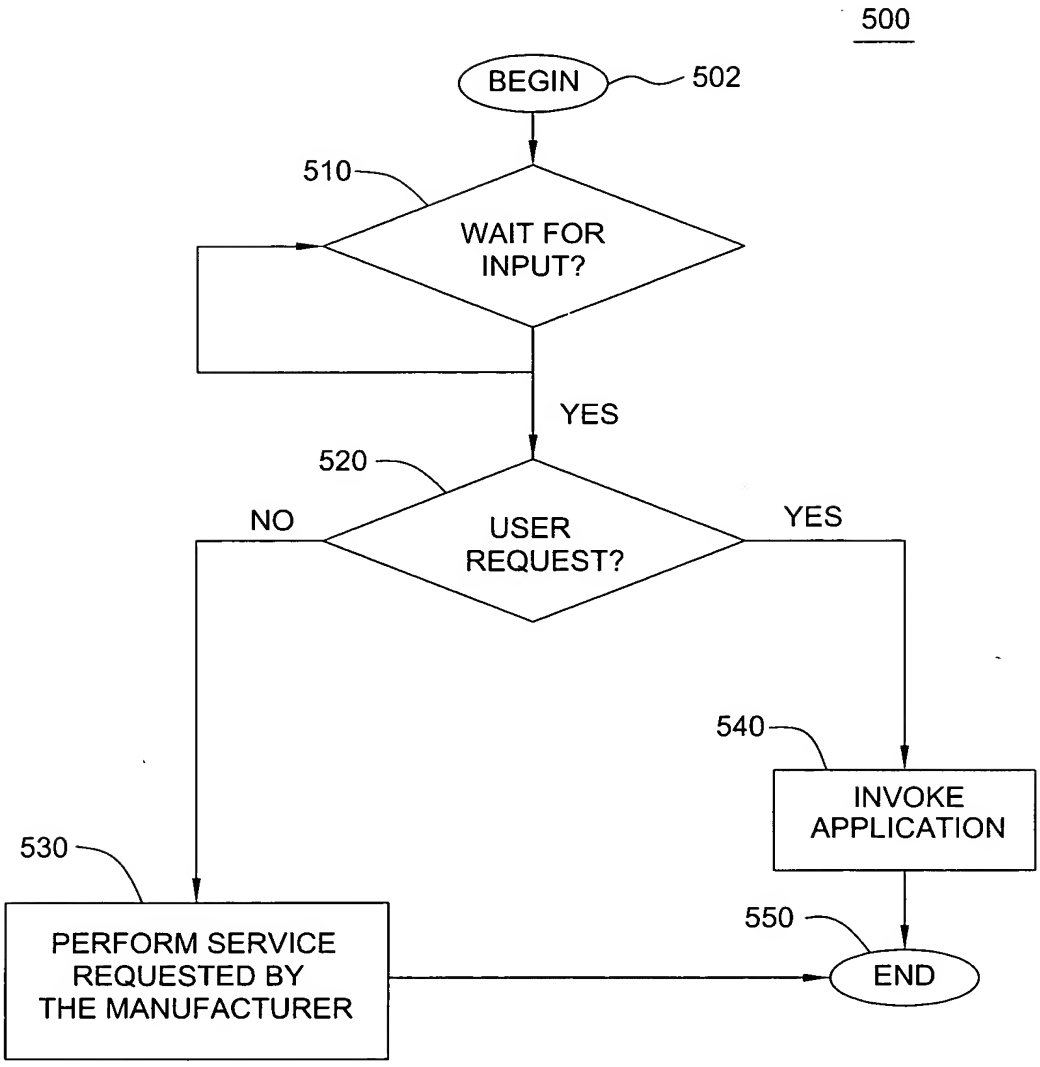
500
BEGIN
502
510
WAIT FOR INPUT?
YES
520
NO
USER REQUEST?
YES
540
INVOKE APPLICATION
530
PERFORM SERVICE REQUESTED BY THE MANUFACTURER
550
END

FIG. 5

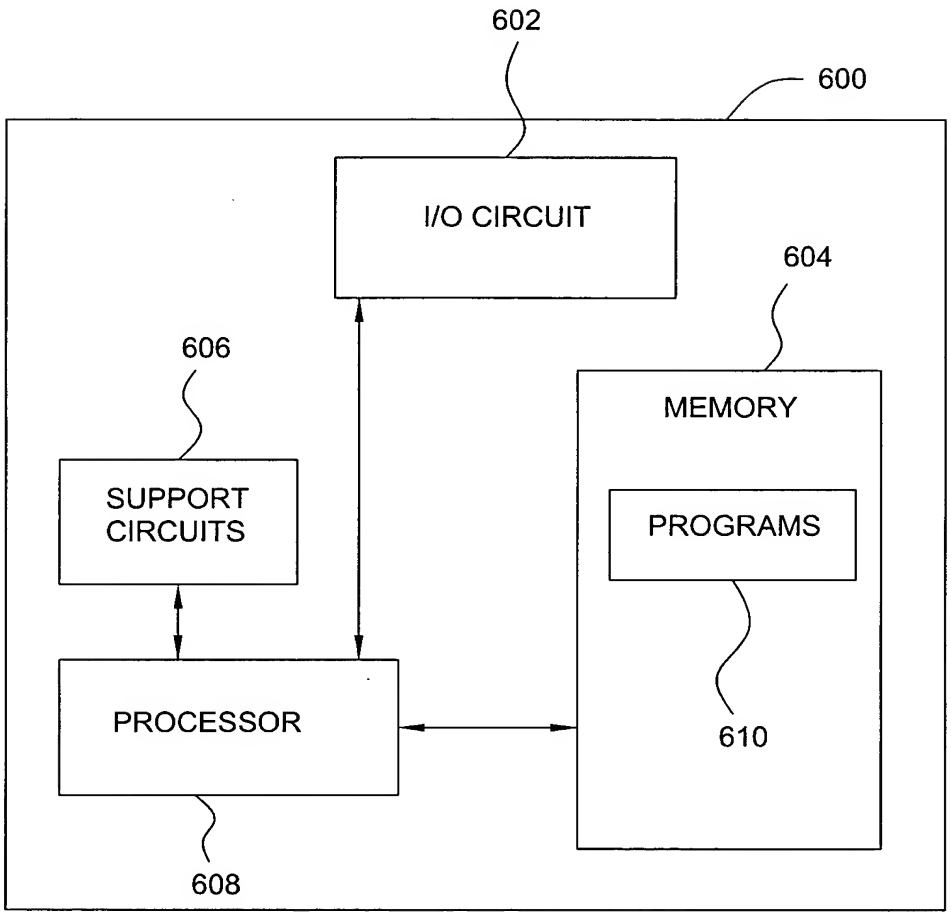
602
600
I/O CIRCUIT
604
606
MEMORY
SUPPORT CIRCUITS
PROGRAMS
PROCESSOR
610
608

FIG. 6